

# GOV. FREAR DECIDES NOT TO TENDER RESIGNATION

Says That There Is No Reason for Him to Leave the Executive Chamber.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT ISSUED

Only Question Was One of His Duty to the President of United States.

(From Saturday's Advertiser.)

"I do not intend to resign at present. The matter has cleared up somewhat, but there has not at any time been any question so far as my personal feelings or interest are concerned. I feel that there is no reason for me to resign, so far as the situation here is concerned—the situation at this end, in this Territory. The only question would be with reference to the other end—that is, as a matter of propriety or duty towards the President. But even on that point the matter here has now been cleared up somewhat."

The above official statement was made by Governor Frear yesterday afternoon in regard to the resignation question which has for a week been agitating the public mind. The Governor will not quit. He will stay and carry out the land policies which he has so carefully been outlining the past few months.

Whether he will stay in office until the expiration of his term is another question concerning which he has nothing to say.

The Governor, it seems, felt that perhaps President Taft might be somewhat embarrassed by the retention in office of an appointee of President Roosevelt, and possibly Governor Frear interpreted the President's overriding of his recommendation in regard to the circuit court judgeship as an indication that Taft did not entirely approve of a Roosevelt man. But if he had any such idea, it has seemingly been corrected by word from Washington, for which he probably waited before making an official statement of his position.

## FOUR YOUTHFUL SPENDERS GET MONEY'S WORTH

When four young Portuguese boys, very small ones, were found taking joy rides on the street cars yesterday, visiting the moving picture shows and dining at one of the large cafes last evening, police officers took notice and conservative people shook their heads and conjured up in their minds the possibility of ill-gotten gains being spent, the whole outlay being at some victim's expense.

The last was the truth, but the money being spent by the quartet was obtained honestly. The boys found a purse containing twenty dollars on a Beretania avenue car during the forenoon. They found it in a street car. Instead of sneaking off they reported their find and the owner was located. The owner was liberal and handed out a five dollar gold piece to the one who actually found the purse and one dollar to each of the other three boys for helping the first boy to be honest.

In order to decide upon some plan to have a good time they boarded a street car and rode on many branches of the Rapid Transit system. Their plans were overheard and in substance were about as follows:

"We no want ride street car all day. S'posin' we ride Poonchbowl, we show dem other fellers we got plenty money. We go Palm eat ice cream; plenty ice cream Falm. Then we go see movin' picture. S'posin' we eat dinner maybe we get dinner Young place where music play, maybe we get meal fifty cents."

The plans sized up as if the eight dollars might look like thirty cents by this morning.

## KANEGAWA CONDEMNED TO DIE ON FEBRUARY 3

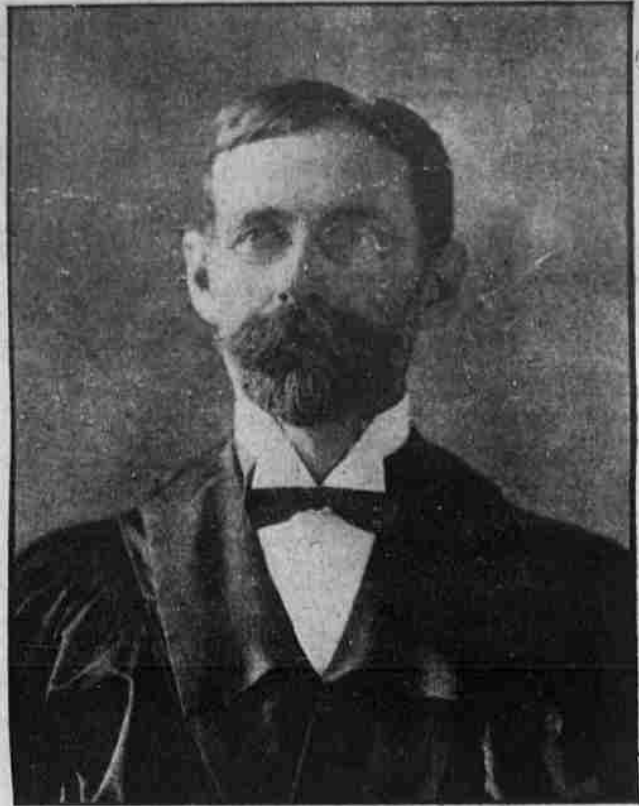
Governor Frear Signs Death Warrant of Murderer of Japanese Woman.

Kanegawa, the Japanese who was recently convicted of the murder of Reyo, a Japanese woman employed as a servant by Judge Lindsay, is to pay the penalty on February 3. Governor Frear yesterday signed the death warrant. An effort was made to have the sentence of death commuted to imprisonment for life, but the Governor felt that there was nothing to warrant the exercise of executive clemency, and refused to grant the petition.

Kanegawa's crime was one of the bloodiest in the police annals of Honolulu. What he suffered for killing the woman was will probably never be definitely known, but it was probably jealousy. The woman was the wife of another man.

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GOV. WALTER F. FREAR.

Who announces positively that he will not resign from office, despite rumors to the contrary.

## LINDSAY OR JUDD SLATED

One of the Two Will Probably Be Named to Succeed Hemenway.

The list of candidates being considered for the attorney generalship has apparently narrowed down to two, and from present indications either A. F. Judd or Alexander Lindsay will be selected to fill the vacancy that will be created by the resignation of C. R. Hemenway. Both men were in conference with the Governor yesterday, but no statement was made by the executive as to his intentions in the matter of the attorney generalship. It is considered probable, however, that Governor Frear will announce by next Monday who is to preside over the legal department of the territorial government.

There now appears to be no possibility of the appointment of First Deputy Lorrin Andrews to the position. He may remain for a while as deputy attorney general or he may not. It depends, of course, both upon his own inclinations in the matter and upon whether or not the new head of the department asks him to remain.

## GOVERNOR GIVES AWAY MOKUAEE ISLAND

Barren Rock Off Kauai Coast Is Set Aside for Light-house Service.

Governor Frear issued a proclamation yesterday, setting aside for the purposes of the lighthouse service the island of Mokuake, lying just off Kilauea Point, Kauai.

Mokuake is the island which the federal authorities for a time thought must be nameless, as nobody seemed to know of any name that had ever been given to it. But the name Mokuake was finally dug up out of the almost forgotten past. The island is really nothing but a patch of rock about five acres in area. It is needed by the federal government on account of the fact that a lighthouse is to be erected on Kilauea Point.

## LILUOKALANI DESIRES BETTER LAWS IN HAWAII

Former Queen and Party on Way to Washington.

CHICAGO, January 9.—Former Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii and a party of relatives and friends were in Chicago today en route to Washington to confer over proposed legislation giving inhabitants of Hawaii more liberal land laws.

Former Prince Kalaniana'ole, nephew of the former Queen, is one of the party. Speaking of the proposed legislation, he said that his people want more liberal homestead rights and more Americans in the Islands.

"The Japanese question," he said, "will doubtless be a serious problem with us some day. I will not say that it is a serious question now, but we want laws that will be attractive to American citizens."

"Although the Queen lost all her interests in the royal lands, we are not dissatisfied. Conditions are much better than they were before annexation."

## PARIS IS IN GRIP OF THE ICE KING

PARIS, January 24.—The cold here is intense and the Seine is frozen over in many places, so solidly as to interfere with the boat service on many of the streets. Numerous deaths from the cold have been reported throughout the city.

## MEETING OF THE DEMOCRATS

Link McCandless Presides at Council of the Island Braves.

The initial meeting of the Democratic territorial committee was held on Thursday night, with L. L. McCandless in the chair. The meeting gives public notice that the Democrats are alive to the fact that the election is ten months off and that they are ready to start the political ball rolling.

In addition to Would-be Delegate McCandless, Hizzoner Mayor Fern was also in attendance, as were most of those holding office under Democratic auspices. The coming campaign was discussed and it was decided that in a week or two the territorial committee is to meet with the county committee, and at that meeting a definite policy as to the conduct of the campaign will be presented.

"The situation looks very favorable to a Democratic victory again," said Mayor Fern yesterday when asked for information on the political situation.

That L. L. McCandless will again be a candidate for the delegateship is also a certainty. Mayor Fern will be in the run to succeed himself; Sheriff Jarrett will endeavor to hold his shirvelty star; Charles Rose will be second in the police running. In fact the Democrats appear to be rather satisfied with the incumbents as candidates at the coming election.

## MEAT BOYCOTT LOOKS BLACK FOR BUTCHERS

Wholesaler and Retailer Alike Are Anxious to Shift the Responsibility.

CHICAGO, January 22.—The meat boycott is assuming national proportions and dealers are becoming seriously alarmed. The retailers blame the packers for the high prices of meat which brought about the boycott, while the packers lay the blame on the farmers.

Indignant citizens have entered into an agreement to abstain from eating meat for thirty days in the hope of forcing down the prices. Thousands of people have signed the pledge to stand by the boycott and the situation looks pretty black for the dealers.

**Government Takes Hand.** WASHINGTON, January 21.—The United States government will prosecute the meat trust of Chicago, the high price of meat having aroused a tremendous protest.

In many States there is on foot a strong movement to force down the meat prices.

## POSTAL SAVINGS BANK BILL WILL PASS SENATE

WASHINGTON, January 22.—The President yesterday sent a message to the senate, urging that body to use haste and consider some measures which he has recommended. The President was assured that the postal savings bank bill will pass the upper house.

## GRAHAM TAKES LLOYD'S PLACE ON COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, January 22.—Representative Graham of Illinois was yesterday named to take the place of Lloyd on the Railroads investigation committee. Lloyd declined to serve.

## NEW IMMIGRANTS COST LARGE SUM

Expenditures From Special Fund Total More Than \$100,000.

\$75,000 FOR THE PORTUGUESE

Interesting Figures Show What Is Being Done With Public Money.

It cost the Territory of Hawaii considerably more than \$75,000 to recruit and bring from the Azores the 874 Portuguese who arrived here on the steamer Swanley some weeks ago. Just how much in excess of \$75,000 the total will prove to be can not be stated at this time as not all the bills are in, but the figure will probably be a good deal more than the amount mentioned above.

Up to December 31, when the books of the auditor's office were closed, there had been received a total of \$147,207.93 credited to the immigration account, this being three-fourths of the amount collected under the special immigration and conservation act passed by the last legislature, imposing a special tax of two per cent. on all incomes in excess of \$4000.

Of this total, \$94,044.88 had been expended up to December 31. The greater part of this went to pay the expenses of getting the last batch of Portuguese here. Large amounts were expended to Special Agent A. J. Campbell in London on several occasions. One amount thus forwarded, on September 7, was \$19,485.25. On October 7 a second remittance was sent Mr. Campbell, \$29,326.56. Later the local authorities cabled to David Bruce & Co. of London for Mr. Campbell the sum of \$19,484.90, and a short time later 1000 pounds, more, or \$4,874.90, was forwarded.

In addition to these large sums there were many smaller amounts expended locally on account of the Portuguese scheme. William Savidge, secretary of the board of immigration, draws a salary of \$150 a month. Printing, stationery, rental and incidental bills run well into the thousands.

## Atkinson a \$6000 Man.

Jack Atkinson, who is now in Manchuria with A. Perelstrous, collecting Russians for Hawaii, is on a \$6000 a year basis. That is, he is paid at that rate for the time he is engaged in the work of gathering Russians. It is understood that the board proposes to keep him at it for at least a year, should he meet with success this time.

What Mr. Perelstrous is being paid can not be stated, as but few of the bills for the Russian expedition have come in as yet. But the figure will probably become public property later on when the later bills are sent to the auditor for approval.

On January 19 the sum of \$15,076.60 was sent to Atkinson, to be used toward defraying expenses.

The Russians brought in recently cost much less per individual than did the Portuguese. On November 4, \$7897.50 was paid the Pacific Mail as passage money of Russians from Kobe to Honolulu. Atkinson turned in a voucher for \$2000 expenses at Harbin. His salary for sixty-five days, at \$6000 a year, was \$1065.05. Another item was \$2000, cash advanced to A. Perelstrous. There is one item of thirty-nine dollars for tips, meals and other incidentals. Another expense item is for \$3095. Time, meals and incidentals again are put in at ninety-one dollars. Still another tip item is for \$17.66. The Pacific Mail item is for an additional amount of \$405 passage money of twelve Russians who came later than the main body. Seven others cost \$270, and \$393.75 was paid for the fares of eleven more who came still later.

There is nothing on the auditor's summary of expenditures from the immigration fund to show the salary received by A. J. Campbell, but it is known that he was engaged at a salary of \$10,000 a year.

## DR. HOBODY IS APPOINTED BOARD OF HEALTH MEMBER

Will Succeed Dr. Wayson, Who Becomes Head of Kalihi Hospital.

Dr. W. C. Hobody has been named by Governor Frear to succeed Doctor Wayson on the board of health, a vacancy having been created by Doctor Wayson's appointment as medical superintendent of the Kalihi hospital.

The appointment of Doctor Hobody evidently meets with the hearty approval of the public, judging from the expressions heard on the street by those who have learned of the choice made by the Governor. Doctor Hobody is recognized as a fine surgeon and has had much experience in the practice of his profession. He is in the marine hospital service, but has announced that he will leave it soon to take up private practice in Honolulu.

## TOM TAGGERT IS SHOT WHILE OUT HUNTING

NATCHEZ, January 22.—Tom Taggart, former chairman of the Democratic national committee, was accidentally shot by his secretary while out hunting yesterday. Though Taggart's wound is serious it is not thought that it will necessarily prove fatal.

## KIM SUT LANDS IN ROUGH HANDS

The Sanctity of His Person Is Violated by Law He Defied.

IS JUST COMMON NUISANCE

Official Step Taken Against Foul Tenements Follows Advertiser Story.

(From Saturday's Advertiser.)

Chun Kim Sut landed yesterday with a loud splash. All Chinatown spent the entire afternoon trying to bail him out but acting on a request from Deputy Attorney-General Andrews, Deputy Sheriff Rose set the man's bail at the limit, \$500, and he spent a few weary hours in the tanks. Finally, Farm Cornn, Chinese interpreter at the circuit court, led in a few fellow countrymen who put up the necessary bond and the bastille doors were opened to Kim Sut. The desk sergeant handed him his purse and papers that had been taken from him before putting him inside and he slowly took out the pile of silver in his purse and counted it piece by piece.

He is a surly Chinaman with a particular spite against the officers which he showed at every opportunity, insulting them by actions whenever he could. His defiance of the law has landed him in a sea of pilikia and he faces a big sorrow.

He was arrested yesterday afternoon on a warrant sworn to by Fire Chief Thurston charged with being a common nuisance. The specific charge against him is the erection of the high fences about his miserable tenement at the corner of Maunakea and Beretania, previously described by The Advertiser as being a menace to the city through the protection they would afford to any fire that sprang out behind them. Other charges against him are being prepared.

## POSED AS WEALTHY TOURIST IN TAHITI

Bad-Check Artist's Plea for Clemency Is Spoiled by Island Record.

LOS ANGELES, January 8.—F. M. Barr was sentenced today to five years in San Quentin for having passed a worthless check for \$525 here last month. Barr had applied to Judge Davis for probation, but was confronted with a complete record of his career, which embraced operations of a criminal nature in Tahiti, New Zealand, Boise, Idaho, and Alameda and San Diego counties, California.

According to the Tahiti story supported by official documents, Barr posed as a wealthy tourist under the name of Arthur J. Stevens, a San Diego photographer. He is said to have married Elna Drollet, daughter of Edmund Drollet, a rich Papete planter.

Letters from Drollet state that Barr passed worthless checks there to the amount of \$1000 and sailed with his bride for New Zealand. At the island of Rarotonga, he is said to have stolen all of his bride's jewelry and wedding presents, leaving her without funds.

Barr is about 47 years old and has lived in San Diego most of the time since 1898.

## MEXICO IS NOT HOSTILE TO THE UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, January 22.—In the course of a conference with the President, Ambassador de la Barra of Mexico yesterday declared that the hostility against the United States exhibited by some of the Mexican newspapers does not represent the attitude of the government. The President and Senator de la Barra discussed the Central American situation thoroughly.

## JAPANESE DIET CONVENES.

TOKIO, January 22.—The diet convened yesterday. Katsura delivered an address to the upper house.

## ORGANIC ACT BILL IS FAVORABLY REPORTED

Washington, January 21, 1910.  
"To Governor Frear, Honolulu.  
"Organic Act Bill reported by the senate committee without amendment."  
KUHIO."

The above cablegram was received yesterday by Governor Frear. It makes the prospect for the final passage of the bill look very bright, as the senate's action will probably have considerable effect on the house when the latter body begins the consideration of the measure.

As a general rule a bill like the organic act amendment bill would be first introduced in the lower house. But at a conference held here before Secretary McMillan went to Washington it was decided by Governor Frear, Delegate Kuhl and Secretary McMillan, that it would be better to have the bill introduced simultaneously in both houses. If it were to be introduced in the house alone, it might be that it would not be passed by that body in time to get it acted upon by the senate this session.

## MANY DIE IN RAILROAD HORROR

Canadian Pacific Train Goes Over Embankment Into the River Below.

IMPRISONED VICTIMS DROWN

Flames Consume Wrecked Cars Which Escaped Plunging Into Water.

SAULT STE-MARIE, January 22.—Fifty persons were killed and ninety were injured when a Canadian-Pacific train plunged over a steep embankment near Espanola yesterday. A broken rail was responsible for the horrible tragedy. Four coaches went over the embankment; two of them were submerged in the river and two were destroyed by fire.

The train was approaching Espanola at a high rate of speed when the accident occurred. Suddenly the engine lurched, swayed back and forth and left the rails. To the side of the track is a steep cliff and as the derailed locomotive turned on its side, four of the coaches were precipitated over the embankment. The couplings were broken and the engine did not go over the precipice.

At the foot of the embankment flows a deep river, and into this two of the passenger coaches were precipitated. So suddenly did the whole thing take place that those in the two cars which pitched into the river were unable to extricate themselves and as the coaches went under the water they became death traps for those within. Pinned in, the miserable passengers were drowned like rats in a trap.

## More Horrible Death.

The other two coaches which went over the cliff lodged on the river bank and those within were saved the horrors of drowning within prison walls. But hardly had the cars reached the end of their mad plunge when they broke into flames. Few within had escaped injury in some form, and those who were pinned beneath pieces of the wreckage met an end more horrible than that which overtook those beneath the waters of the river.

As the flames approached the mangled victims, held fast by bars of twisted steel, shrieks of agony and horror rent the air. Trainmen and passengers alike who had escaped injury, or who were but slightly hurt, rushed to the aid of the victims. Water was thrown upon the burning coaches and jackscrews were hastily brought into service to raise the wreckage from off the bodies of the imprisoned ones.

## See Many Die.

But feverishly as the rescuers worked they were forced to see many die before their horror-stricken eyes. Time and again the flames threatened to drive the samaritans away, but though their faces and hands were blistered, and their clothing smoking from the heat, they stuck to their posts until the last living person had been released.

Inspection of the track at the scene of the accident indicates that a broken rail was responsible for the horrible disaster.

## M'KINLEY IS CHAIRMAN OF CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, January 22.—Representative McKinley of Illinois was yesterday elected chairman of the Republican congressional campaign committee.

## PROPOSAL REJECTED.

WASHINGTON, January 21.—The governments of Japan and Russia have formally rejected the proposal made by the United States for the neutralization of the Manchurian railway.